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U. S. Bonds, 125,000.00
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Cash, 18,208.55
Due from Banks and Reserve Agents, 131,979.36
180,257.91
\$108,144.18

LIABILITIES.

Capital, \$100,000.00
Surplus, 100,000.00
Undivided Profits, 22,554.10
Circulation, 100,000.00
Deposits, 78,000.29
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TO THE Owners of Dogs!

MAYOR'S OFFICE.
Alexandria, Va., June 11, 1910.
All persons owning or intending to keep any animal of the dog or canine species should come forward on or before JUNE TWENTY-EIGHTH, 1910, and take out a license for the same from the Auditor. After the 28th of June all persons owning or intending to keep any animal of the dog or canine species shall be liable to a fine of \$5.00 for each dog or canine kept without a license. The license fee is \$1.00 for each dog or canine kept without a license. The license fee is \$1.00 for each dog or canine kept without a license.

Complaint has been frequently made that many persons fail to take out their license, and that others pay on one or two dogs, when owning and harboring more, or who send such dogs away during the summer months and bring them back in the fall.

In order to avoid any mistakes persons who make application for licenses would do well to write the names and number of residence, street, etc., on a card or paper when making application for their license to the Auditor.

Attention is also called to the fact that while the payment of a license tax is required by the laws of the city, whether a dog is kept on the premises of the owner all times or not, yet the payment of such tax does not entitle the dog to the unrestricted use of the streets and alleys of the city, both day and night, for it is provided by law that: "The Mayor, in addition, at any and all times, in his discretion, by proclamation, shall declare that all such dogs as are licensed shall be securely muzzled, and if any such dogs be found running at large during the continuance of such proclamation without the required muzzle they shall be seized by the police force or other persons designated by the Mayor for such purposes and conveyed to suitable place and destroyed."

FRED. J. PAFF, Mayor.

The following is a copy of Section 54 of the License Law: "On every dog, regardless of sex, one dollar and fifty cents."

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Alexandria Gazette.

TUESDAY EVENING, JUNE 21.

The Other Kind of Deer.

When Isaac Lane returned from the wedding of David Fletcher, who is known in the Balmi creek country as a mighty hunter, he immediately sought the village store, where the bridegroom's cronies were gathered, waiting for news of the ceremony.

"Well," said one of the number, "how'd it go off?"

"Pret' fair, thanks to me," replied Israel.

"What'd you do?" demanded another.

"I saved parson considerable of a shock and Mame some blushes," said Israel, with calm satisfaction. "Just before they was ready to stand up in the parlor I says to Dave—I don't know what made me, guess it was meant to be—I says, 'Let's see your license.'"

"Well, Dave handed it over, and I discovered it was a hunting license. 'What's this?' I says, handing it back. 'You ain't got to hunt any longer; you've got her.'"

"It seems," concluded Israel, "that Dave just said he 'wanted a license,' and of course the clerk thought he wanted the usual kind."—Youth's Companion.

Old Time English Campaign Arts.

Purely from the picturesque point of view one may regret the bands and banners which used to help to enliven old time elections. Take the first contests of two great men. Disraeli, we read, approached Wycombe in a four horse carriage and was met a mile outside the town by bands, banners and a crowd, with whom he made a triumphal entry. "The candidate kissed his hand or blew kisses to all the females who were at the windows."

And this is a description of Gladstone's first campaign at Newark by one who took part in it: "We started on the canvass at 8 in the morning and worked at it for about nine hours with a great crowd, band and flags and innumerable glasses of beer and wine all jumbled together; then a dinner of thirty or forty with speeches and songs until, say, 10 o'clock; then we always played a rubber of whist, and about 12 or 1 I got to bed and not to sleep."—London Times.

The Scorpion's Wonderful Ear.

I have studied the habits of the scorpion for many years and have often noticed how very sensitive scorpions are to the most delicate sound, musical or otherwise. Under the thorax the scorpion has two comblike appendages, which are the antennae (pectinates). It is pretty well settled by physiologists and entomologists that in insects the antennae represent the organs of hearing. These delicate structures are easily affected by the vibrations of sound, and there can be no doubt whatever that they are also affected by sounds quite inaudible to the human ear. The slightest vibration of the atmosphere from any cause whatever at once puts in motion the delicate structures which compose the antennae, to which organs insects owe the power of protecting themselves against danger as well as the means of recognizing the approach of one another.—London Spectator.

First Justice to Wear Gown.

"Few people, I venture to say, even in high official positions, know what justice first wore the gown in the supreme court of the United States," said an authority on the subject recently. "When Justice John Jay took the office he thought the members of the supreme bench should wear gowns of some sort. Accordingly he appeared in his own academic gown, which he wore by virtue of having received a degree from the University of Dublin, or, as it was then known, Trinity college. It was a tricolored gown too. Such a garment would look peculiar now, since the black gown has been adopted."

Tilden's Dog.

At one of the early dog shows Samuel J. Tilden bought an immense Great Dane dog. "What's his name?" asked a visitor.

"Ask him," said Mr. Tilden.

"What good would that do?"

"It's his name," was the reply. "It was—Adam."

The dog knew a number of tricks, but would only perform when fed. "He'd make a good politician," said his owner as he gave him a bone.

Human Nature.

"Queer thing about men, isn't it?" remarked the thoughtful thinker.

"What's queer about 'em?" asked the innocent bystander.

"Why," rejoined the t. t., "a man will sit on a log half a day waiting for a fish to bite, but he won't wait three minutes for his wife to get ready for church."—Denver News.

How He Lost It.

"How did that man lose his supremacy at home?"

"His wife probably tried to phone him at the office one day and the office couldn't understand the name."—Buffalo Express.

The General Opinion.

Belle—How silly men act when they propose! Why, Jack acted like a perfect fool.

Nell—That's what everybody thought when your engagement was announced!

Modern Criticism.

"How do you like my portrait of her highness?"

"Fine! Nothing to criticize but a slight resemblance."—Fliegende Blätter.

Do not grudge to pick out treasures from an earthen pot.—Herbert.

If you are not satisfied after using according to directions two-thirds of a bottle of Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets, you can have your money back. The tablets cleanse and invigorate the stomach, improve the digestion, regulate the bowels. Give them a trial and get well. Sold by W. F. Creighton and Richard Gibson.

Routed the Enemy.

In some of the London courts there are private dining rooms reserved for the exclusive use of the legal fraternity. One of these rooms one day there bustled a gaunt female who on being courteously approached by a junior counsel flatly declined to leave. Thereupon an unblinking Q. C. looked the lady in the face and expressed his mind. Still she did not budge. Counsel Lockwood then intervened. "I do not think there is anything unseemly in this lady's presence," quoth he. "She wears a gown and—yes, I'm pretty sure that she also wears a wig." The lady went.—London Tatler.

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The Eyes of a Bee.

Every bee has two kinds of eyes—the two large compound ones looking like hemispheres on either side, and the three simple ones which crown the top of his head. Each compound eye is composed of 3,500 facets—that is to say, an object is reflected 3,500 times on its surface. Every one of these facets is the base of an inverted hexagonal pyramid whose apex is fitted to the head. Each pyramid may be termed an eye, for each has its own iris and optic nerve. How these insects manage this marvelous number of eyes is not yet known. They are immovable, but mobility is unnecessary because of the range of vision afforded by the position and the number of facets. They have no lids, but are protected from dust and injury by rows of hairs growing along the lines at the junctions of the facets. The simple eyes are supposed to have been given the bee to enable it to see above its head when intent upon gathering honey from the cups of flowers. Probably this may be one reason, but it is likely there are other uses for them not yet ascertained.—Pearson's Weekly.

Beating the Postoffice.

Here is a curious process by which the French postoffice was beaten. A wealthy merchant who refused to pay an excess fee was sued by the postal authorities and lost the suit. He retaliated by building a shanty in a remote district of the Hautes-Alpes, about twenty miles from any postoffice, and installing therein a shepherd, in whose name he subscribed to the daily Petit Journal. According to the terms of the postal monopoly in France, the department is bound to provide a daily service wherever required, and it would have been necessary to engage a postman solely for the delivery of this newspaper, as no other house in the town was within a radius of about eight miles. The post office, sooner than embark on an expenditure of about \$200 a year, consented to forego the 10 centimes (2 cents) in dispute, pay the defendant's costs and compensate the shepherd for the loss of his daily paper.

Donizetti and Coffee.

Donizetti, composer of "Lucia di Lammermoor," sought inspiration in the coffee. It would be interesting to know accurately the total amount of coffee this erratic genius managed to consume during his short career. It was his habit to shut himself up in his room with writing materials and three or four coffeepots full of steaming coffee. When these were emptied he ordered in three or four more, and these disposed of in their turn, another three or four. His biographer says that the amount of coffee he drank was "fabulous," and one can well believe it. The effect on his once fine constitution was deplorable. His face shriveled and turned yellow, his lips became black, and with the inevitable breakdown of his nervous system his genius fell rapidly into premature decay.

Herodity.

Tommy was a little boy, 2 years old, who was very mischievous. He was brought in by his mother, who was the correct amount. As this was failing he called the boy to him and said: "Tommy, how is it that you are always wrong and the teacher always says you are wrong?"

"Dunno, mother."

"Does any one else say you are wrong?"

"No, sir, father."

"What does your father do for a living?"

"He's a waiter, sir."

"Ah," said the teacher, "that accounts for it. Go back and tell your father."

Finnish Respect for the Law.

In Finland there is a deep and abiding respect for law.

"Can I have a shot at an elk?" asked a stranger of a peasant who lived on the fringe of a forest well stocked with this noble game.

"No, sir. It's against the law."

"What's the penalty?"

"Two hundred Finnish marks."

"All right. Will you come along with me if I agree to pay the fine?"

"No, I won't. It's against the law, and I'm not going to break it!"—Russian Characteristics.

RAILROADS

Southern Railway.

Trains leave Union Station, Alexandria, in effect June 13, 1910.

N. B.—Following schedule figures published only as information, and are not guaranteed.

7:37 A. M.—Daily local between Washington and Danville.

8:37 A. M.—Daily—Local for Harrisonburg and way stations.

9:17 A. M.—Daily—C. S. East Mail. Stops only for passengers for Washington and New Orleans. First class coaches; sleeping cars to Birmingham and drawing room sleeping cars to New Orleans. Dining car service.

11:47 A. M.—Daily—Mail train. Coaches for Manassas, Charlottesville, Lynchburg, Danville and Greensboro. Sleeping cars Greensboro to Atlanta.

1:17 P. M.—Week days—Local for Warrenton and Harrisonburg.

4:22 P. M.—Daily—Birmingham special. Sleeping cars between New York, Augusta, Aiken and Jacksonville. Sleeper to Birmingham. Through first-class coaches between Washington and Jacksonville. Dining car service. Tourist to California four times weekly.